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Amendment dated August 5, 2005 Reply to Office Action of May 5, 2005

Please amend the claims as follows:

## **Listing of Claims:**

Claims I-20. (Canceled)

Claim 21. (New) A method of preventing hot asphalt from a(ther ng to a surface, comprising:

applying a composition including at least one of desugar d sugar beet molasses, sugar cane molasses, steepwater, brewers condensed solubles, distillers solubles, or mixtures thereof to the surface.

Claim 22. (New) A method according to claim 21, said composition comprising desurgared sugar beet molasses.

Claim 23. (New) A method according to claim 21, said composition comprising sugar cane molasses.

Claim 24. (New) A method according to claim 21, said composition comprising steepwater.

Claim 25. (New) A method according to claim 21, said composition comprising brewers condensed solubles.

Claim 26. (New) A method according to claim 21, said composition comprising distillers solubles.

Claim 27. (New) A method according to claim 1, said composition further including an oil.

Claim 28. (New) A method according to claim 21, said composition further comprising a surfactant.